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In re Application of: )  
Shi-Tron LIN et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2811  
Application No.: 09/740,016 ) Examiner: O. Nadav  
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For: ELECTROSTATIC DISCHARGE )  
PROTECTION CIRCUIT )

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of September 30, 2002, the period for response to which extends through March 31, 2003 (March 30, 2003 being a Sunday). A fee of \$520.00 (\$410 previously paid on February 25, 2003) is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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